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REMARKS

The proposed claims are substantially identical to those that have been granted in the

European counterpart, issued as European patent 1432402 B1. Multiple dependencies have been eliminated, and the medical use claims have been replaced by method of treatment claims. The

claim (30) that specifies delivery vehicles has been limited to the preferred embodiment.

No additional Information Disclosure Statement is included as all of the documents of which

applicants are aware have already been cited in IDS submissions.

Applicants respectfully request that full faith and credit be accorded the European

examination and its outcome.

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Office determines that an extension and/or other relief is required, applicants petition for any

required relief including extensions of time and authorize the Commissioner to charge the cost of

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